

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Y. SUGIMOTO, et al.
Serial No.: 10/582,960
Filed: JUNE 15, 2006
For: BACK LIGHT DEVICE AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE
Group AU: 2875
Examiner: Laura K. Tso
Confirm. No: 8873

AMENDMENT

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December 31, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 31, 2007, the period for response having been extended for two (2) months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS; and

REMARKS are included following the amendments.